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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

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STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

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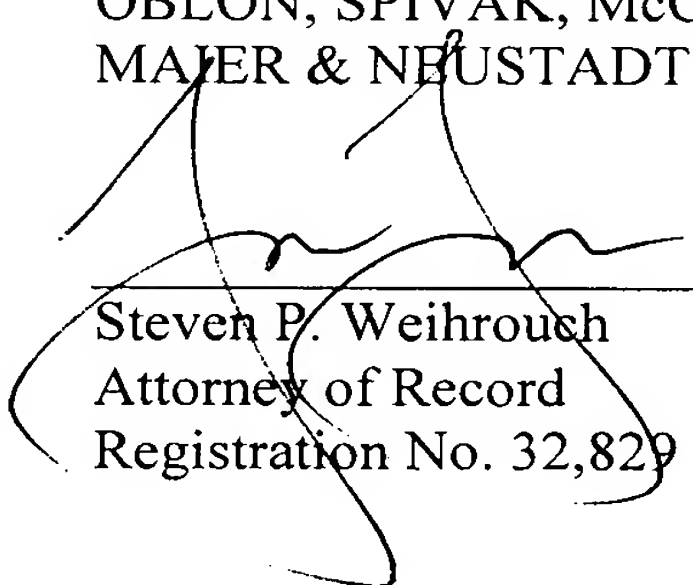
Sir:

As noted on the copy of the Interview Summary form describing the telephone discussion of December 12, 2008, (that was mailed on December 23, 2008, along with the "Notice of Allowance" and Fee(s) Due), Applicants' representative gave the Examiner authority to cancel Claims 45-55.

No prior art references or rejections were discussed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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